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## SHACKLEFORD IS ELECTED HEAD OF STATE TEACHERS

Montgomery, Ala., April 5.—Dr. C. B. Glenn, superintendent of the Birmingham public schools and vice-president of the National Educational Association, will be nominated for president of the national organization at its annual meeting in Washington, next summer. Members of the Alabama Educational Association in final session in Montgomery Saturday unanimously voted to instruct the Alabama official delegates who will attend the national convention to nominate the Birmingham superintendent for this office.

The motion was made by A. F. Harman, of the Montgomery schools. In the event that Dr. Glenn is elected to the national presidency, he will very probably be released from his duties as superintendent of the Birmingham schools for one year, that he may devote his entire time to the duties of the national association.

The association voted to petition Governor Brandon to call a special session of the Ala. legislature at the earliest time possible to provide funds for the immediate relief of the bad conditions existing in the school situation of Alabama.

The following officers were elected: E. M. Shackelford,

president of the State normal school at Troy, president; J. M. Burnett, superintendent of the Tusculum schools and former Birmingham principal, first vice-president; Miss Alice Boyd, of Montevallo, second vice-president; R. V. Allgood, principal of Avondale school, Birmingham, third vice-president; E. P. Murphy, of Gadsden, and F. L. Grove, principal of Barton Academy, Mobile executive board.

The association decided to launch a state-wide publicity campaign to educate the people of Alabama, regarding conditions existing in the state, as suggested by Dr. Frank Willis Barnett Friday morning.

## ASK FOR PRICES.

Nitrate Soda, Calcium Arsenate, Potash, Kainit, Phosphate, Hay, Hulls, Meal Bagging, Ties. Quote peas, Cotton seed.—CANTELOU BROTHERS, Brokers, Montgomery, Ala.

**A Previous Affliction.**  
A current medical journal says that the weakest part of the body is the one most open to disease. We notice that lots of people are suffering with colds in the head.—Troy Messenger.

## NOTICE OF ELECTION

An election will be held in the several polling places in the State of Alabama, by the Democratic Party, on Tuesday May 13, 1924, between the hours of eight A. M. and five P. M. for the preference of the Democrats of Alabama for the nominees of the Democratic Party for State, District and County Officials as are to be elected at the regular election in November 1924.

This 5th, day of April, 1924.

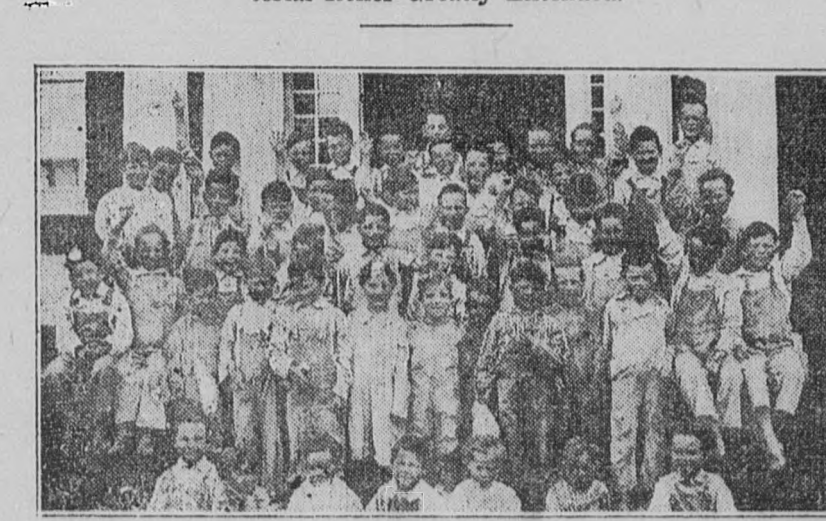
Chairman State Democratic Executive Committee.

The British court will never receive the guilty party in a divorce case.

Waive notes and bob-tail mortgages at Clipper office.

## Baptist Campaign Has Put \$4,000,000 Into Care of South's Orphan Children

Benevolent Phases of Forward Movement Are Set Out in General Statement From Headquarters—Hospitals and Ministerial Relief Greatly Extended.



A Group of Happy Homeless Boys Provided for in a Baptist Orphanage.

Of the \$48,500,000 that has been collected in cash on the Baptist 75-Million Campaign to January 1, 1924, the sum of \$7,732,831.53 has gone to such benevolent work as caring for orphan children, helping the sick and ministering to aged, worn-out preachers. It is announced by the headquarters of the campaign.

**\$4,000,000 Went to Orphanages.**  
More than half of the benevolent fund, or \$2,599,192.65, has gone to the 21 Baptist orphanages of the South, two of which have been established as a result of this movement and all of which have been greatly helped by this forward program. Nearly 4,000 orphan boys and girls are being housed, fed, clothed, educated and trained for Christian citizenship in these orphanages and the campaign has put between \$800,000 and \$900,000 into the maintenance of these institutions each year. The orphanages are now being expanded to permit, but despite this extra effort the institutions have been compelled to turn down the applications of 2,000 other orphan boys and girls, simply because there was no room for them.

**Sick and Suffering Aided.**  
Large advance has been made in the ministry of Southern Baptists to the sick and suffering during the four years of the campaign. At the time this movement was inaugurated Southern Baptists were operating twelve hospitals. The number now in operation has grown to 25, all of which are practically completed and ready for service, with two more having been projected. At the time the campaign began the value of Southern Baptist hospital service

was \$2,227,000, while today it has grown to approximately \$9,000,000 among the institutions already in operation. The number of hospital beds has increased from 1,623 to 5,000.

During the four years of the campaign a total of 170,000 patients have been treated in these hospitals. Approximately \$1,000,000 worth of charity service has been performed for needy but deserving persons.

**925 Old Preachers Helped.**  
Into the work of ministerial relief the campaign has put the sum of \$1,460,132.31. More than \$500,000 has been put into supplying the needs of aged and dependent ministers and their families. This, representing the efforts of four years, far more than Southern Baptists had in their history prior to the launching of this forward movement. At the same time the Relief and Annuity Board has gathered an interest-bearing endowment and sinking fund for relief alone of more than \$400,000, and has gathered for its annuity work an endowment and sinking fund of more than \$1,100,000.

Today 925 beneficiaries are carried on the rolls of the Relief and Annuity Board.

An effort is being made to bring the 75-Million Campaign to a successful conclusion by the headquarters office, and forces are at work in every state in the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention, with a view to enlisting the churches in the immediate discharge of the task they are asked to do in this forward movement.

## Political Announcements

**For Supt. of Education.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Education of Coffee county, subject to the Democratic primary of May 13th, 1924.

If re-elected I shall strive to serve the office faithfully and efficiently.

Respectfully,  
J. E. HUDSON.  
(Paid political adv. by J. E. Hudson, Elba, Ala.)

**For Supt. of Education.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Education subject to the action of the Democratic primary on May 13, 1924. If elected I will endeavor to be a superintendent in spirit and in truth, faithfully discharging the duties of the office to the very best of my ability.

G. W. CARLISLE,  
(Paid political adv. by G. W. Carlisle, Enterprise, Ala.)

**For Member School Board To the Voters of Coffee County.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for member of County Board of Education, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of May 13.

I respectfully ask the support and influence of both men and women voters, and I am confident that my best efforts in the interest of the schools of our county.

W. L. HUNTER,  
(Paid political adv. by W. L. Hunter, New Brockton, Rt. 3.)

**For County Commissioner.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Commissioner of the Northwest District subject to the action of the Democratic primary May 13th. Your influence and vote will be highly appreciated.

JOSEPH J. MOORE,  
(Paid political adv. by J. J. Moore, Elba, Route 5.)

**For County Commissioner.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner from the North-West District of Coffee, subject to the Democratic primary to be held May 13. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

D. M. MARLER,  
(Paid Political adv. by D. M. Marler, Elba, Rt. 5.)

**For County Commissioner.**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for Commissioner of the North-West District of Coffee county in the Democratic primary to be held May 13. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

C. MONROE JACOBS,  
(Paid political adv. by C. M. Jacobs—Elba, Rt. 1.)

**For County Commissioner.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner from the North-East District of Coffee, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of May 13th. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

MACE KYSER,  
(Paid Political adv. by Mace Kyser, New Brockton, Ala., Rt. 3.)

**For County Commissioner.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner from the North-East District of Coffee, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of May 13th. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

ED GOODSON,  
(Paid political adv. by Goodson, New Brockton, Rt. 2.)

**For County Commissioner.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner from the Southwest District of Coffee, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on May 13th. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

SIGN R. GATLIN,  
(Paid Political adv. by S. R. Gatlin, Kinston, Ala.)

**For County Commissioner.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Commissioner from the South-West district of Coffee county, subject to the Democratic primary to be held

May 13. Will appreciate your vote and influence.

JIM R. PATRICK,  
(Paid political adv. by J. R. Patrick, Elba, Ala.)

**For County Commissioner.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Commissioner of the South-West District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on May 13. Your support will be highly appreciated.

DAN G. BLAIR,  
(Paid political adv. by D. G. Blair, Elba, Route 3.)

**To the Voters of Coffee County.**  
I was elected in the special election of September 10, 1923, to the office of County Treasurer, and I am a candidate for the regular four year term to succeed myself. I am a candidate therefore in the Democratic Primary on May 13th next. Having made recently a campaign for the short term I am now serving and having received your endorsement, I confidently believe you will as usual endorse me for the regular term. I have endeavored to give efficient and satisfactory service, and I respectfully ask the support of both the men and women voters of the County in the May Primary.

Sam R. Morgan,  
(Paid Political Advertisement by S. R. Morgan, Elba, Ala.)

**BABY MONKEY BORN AT TUSKEGEE PUBLIC ATTRACTION.**

Tuskegee, Ala., April 7.—Mary and Jack, the two pet monkeys, belonging to Jack Lane, are the proud parents of a little baby monkey and are attracting much attention at their home in the north side of the public Square. The mother seems to be very proud of the addition to her family and holds it in her arms day and night.

It is stated that a mother monkey never lets her baby out of her arms until it is weaned and able to care for itself.

Waive notes and bob-tail mortgages at Clipper office.

In the 1920 census 11 men were listed as nurse maids.

Those who have been waiting for BARCANS in used cars, should take advantage of the list below. Come around and let us show and demonstrate these cars for you.

Ford Touring, good tires and starter.....200.00  
Ford Touring, good tires, motor in good shape.....125.00  
Ford, light delivery truck, good shape.....100.00  
Essex touring, looks like new; motor in good shape; 5 good tires; a bargain.....400.00  
Hupmobile, 5 pass; in good shape.....250.00  
Buick Six, newly painted, good tires, perfect shape.....275.00  
1 Ford Touring, runs good, good tires, newly painted a bargain at.....100.00  
Every car absolutely guaranteed to be as represented.

**Ellis-Johnson Company,**  
—SE—  
C. P. LEE or FRED FOLSOM  
ELBA, ALABAMA.

**FOR TAXI SERVICE**  
CALL H. J. SPURLIN  
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GOOD CARS AND GOOD DRIVERS

Headquarters  
YOUNG'S BARBERSHOP

I wish to announce that I have my Peanut Shelling Plant in operation at New Brockton, Ala. Have operated this plant for the past several years, and my work has been satisfactory. Your patronage will be appreciated.

E. M. DISAUXE,  
New Brockton, Alabama.



## START "SWIMMING" TOWARD A BANK ACCOUNT.

Men who build fortunes—build them on Bank Accounts.

The great majority of bank accounts GROW—few JUST HAPPEN.

Energy, thrift, careful management and a friendly co-operative relationship with your Bank and your banker will make Bank Accounts grow where there were no bank accounts before, and will nourish small bank accounts so that eventually they will become large ones.

Many find our services profitable. WE BELIEVE YOU WOULD.

## THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ELBA

L. A. BOYD, President, H. C. JOHNSON, Active V-Pres.  
W. W. SANDERS, Vice-President, O. A. ELLIS, Cashier,  
O. D. ROWE, Assistant Cashier.

"There Is No Substitute For Safety."

For Your Health's Sake

With the present day opportunities to keep your body clean and healthy both inside and out, to neglect doing so is not only unwise but it is unfair to yourself and your associates.

When you need drugs, medicines or anything that can be found in a first-class drug store, come to see us or telephone. Let us fill your prescriptions.

—TELEPHONE 130—

## MAYS-WHITMAN DRUG COMPANY

"A REAL DRUG STORE"

QUALITY SERVICE

Will Brunsen, at Elba, is the loan man. If you want to borrow money on your lands see him. He specializes in the loan business and has an abstract plant, which enables him to give prompt service.—adv.

**NOTICE.**  
State of Alabama Coffee County.  
Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Alabama Public Service Commission for approval of a sale of the Telephone System of the town of Elba, Alabama, by the undersigned owner, to the Elba Telephone Co., Inc.

This March 19, 1924.  
F. A. SYMONDS.

**PEANUT SHELLING—**  
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New Brockton, Alabama.

**DR. C. S. ALLRED**  
—DENTIST—  
OFFICE MAY BUILDING

**DR. L. K. OGLETREE**  
VETERINARY SURGEON  
Permanently located at Enterprise, will be in Elba every Tuesday, from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Headquarters at Boy & Murphree Stables.

**BULLARD'S IMPROVED SYSTEM**  
RENT A NEW  
Ford  
Drive 'Em Yourself  
Headquarters At DORSEY BROS. GARAGE

**FOUR INJURED IN BUTLER COUNTY AUTOMOBILE WRECK.**  
Greenville, Ala., April 2.—An automobile owned and driven by a Mr. Hollis was wrecked late Saturday afternoon in the southeastern part of Butler county on the four occupants of the car, Mr. Hollis, Miss

Jewel Winton and Miss Janie Atkins were injured. Mr. Winton was the most seriously injured, having sustained a broken hip. The car was badly damaged.

The exact cause of the accident has not been learned, but it is reported that faulty steering gear was the cause.

**COLE'S BRIDGE ITEMS.**  
Some of the people of our community have been sick but are better now.  
Mrs. Mandy Folsom who has been in the hospital at Dothan has returned home.  
Miss Willie Mae White spent Tuesday night with Miss Reffie Dobbs.  
Mr. Roscoe Snellgrove who attends school at Brundidge came home Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week.  
Miss Ora Lowry who attends school at Troy spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lowry.  
Mrs. Hardwick spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Snellgrove.  
Mr. Huey Nolin, Mr. Beresford and Miss Bonnie Mae Lowry went shopping at Troy Thursday.  
Those who visited at Mr. L. M. Hornsby Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Clark, son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Livings, Mr. and Mrs. Hornsby, Mr. Edd Hornsby wife and children.  
Miss Maudie Hornsby and Mrs. Pope and grand-child, Mattie White, returned home Saturday after spending a week with relatives at Elba.  
The peanut shelling given at Mr. L. M. Hornsby's Saturday night was enjoyed by all who attended. Shelled lots of peanuts, and it is time they were shelled because it is time to plant.  
Misses Leora Arnett, Irma Lee Hornsby and Vannie Mae Whitaker visited Misses Reffie and Odessa Dobbs Sunday afternoon.  
Miss Mona Tindol visited Misses Tiser and Bonnie Mae Lowry Saturday night.  
Mrs. John Simmons, visited Mrs. M. Maynard and Mrs. Ada Pinckard Friday.  
Organized a Sunday School at Eanon Church Sunday. Spring time is here. Birds are singing. So bring your books and let's have a lively Sunday school.

**EGGS FOR HATCHING AND BABY CHICKS.**  
Ferris 230 to 300 egg strain White Leghorn eggs, \$1.00 for 15. Baby chicks, 15c each.

J. B. BOWDEN,  
Glenwood, Ala., Rt. 2.

**LYNCH NEGRO BOY AT WOODBURY, GA.**  
Woodbury, Ga., April 3.—Beach Thrash, 16-year-old negro boy, was taken from the city jail here today and lynched by a mob after he had shot and perhaps fatally wounded Chief of Police Albert Wells, who had arrested him for stealing money from a local bank.

The police chief, who was rushed to the Atlanta hospital, was reported in a dying condition tonight.

The negro, who was employed by the bank was surprised by Chief Wells as he entered the institution at the lunch hour today, it being customary for the bank to be closed at the time. Officials had complained to the police that some one was taking money out of the bank when they were absent and the chief had secreted himself to catch the thief.

The officer ordered Thrash to throw up his hands. Just at that moment the telephone in the bank rang and the chief went to answer it, whereupon the negro wrested the officer's pistol from his hand and shot him. The negro fled but shortly afterwards was arrested by police and placed in the city jail.

He was later seized by a small band of men, taken to the banks of the Flint river, nearly alone, and hung in a clump of woods. His body was found dangling to the tree by sheriff Jarrah, who hurried here from Greenville to take charge of the situation.

**DON'T USE PENNIES.**  
Using a penny to replace a burned out fuse is courting danger and heavy loss, as shown by a recent fire at Iola, Kan. When a penny is so used, the protection offered by a fuse is lost, as a straight connection is established.

**JOHN WHITE & CO.**  
LUMBER CO.  
Established 1870  
Elba, Ala.  
BAY FISH

## Muscle Shoals Ford Proposal Versus Congressional Record

Chapter 1.

A STATEMENT OF THE ALABAMA POWER COMPANY, SUPPORTED BY RE MARKS FROM THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD:

Senator Brookhart said in the Senate recently:

"I believe that if these voters knew how the figures of this Ford proposition are juggled in the majority report made in favor of the bill, they would all vote the other way."

The Facts In The Case.

Statements recently made by some of those interested in the Ford offer have criticized this company for having submitted its offer; for the part it has played or failed to play in the development of the state; the making by this company of a contract with the government during the war and other matters.

But it is becoming well understood by the public that behind the attacks on this company is the selfish ambition of property owners at Muscle Shoals who will be directly benefited by the proposed Ford developments. They have from the first waged an industrious campaign of abuse, threats and vilification against this company and against individuals in public or private life who dared to criticize the Ford offer in public or to oppose it as being contrary to the public interest.

There are some who believe that the Ford offer is best for the public, but just what have examined it or know just what it means to the public.

**The Gorges Contract.**  
The war-time contract of this company with the government made in 1918 gave the government the right to enter upon the company's land and construct an addition to its Gorges plant and build a transmission line on its right of way 90 miles long to Muscle Shoals to supply power to the nitrate plants. In this the government expended \$4,700,000.00 and the Power Company agreed to purchase the government's property after the war at its fair value. In due course this value was fixed by two government boards in 1923 at \$3,472,487.25, and was paid to the government in cash by this company in September last. This was 75 percent of the war cost, a greater percentage than the government received from any war-time expenditure made by it so far as any records have been published. Statements made which question the fairness of that contract have heretofore been denounced by this company as false and untrue and made in reckless disregard of the facts, and that statement we now repeat.

Those interested in putting the Ford offer through Congress have for their own political and selfish motives claimed that that contract, but that is merely a subterfuge to draw the public attention away from the real issue.

(To Be Continued.)

## Alabama Power Company

THOMAS W. MARTIN, President.  
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

**CHILDREN HAVE NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH IN OLD WELL.**

Clayton Record says:

Nothing that the law of providence guided the twins of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Vinson, James and Janice, Wednesday morning when they fell into a thirty foot well with a deep muddy bottom, and were safely returned to their mother's arms with only a few slight bruises.

As well as the Vinson home, which was covered with boards was thought to be safe. So the youngsters, who are always together, crawled on top of the cover and were playing when the boards broke and they took the thirty foot drop. They were quickly rescued by Mr. Tom Parish, of the Clayton High School who went down in the well, and other citizens of the town who rushed to the scene, although covered with mud and slightly bruised, they were none the worse from their narrow escape from death.

**SWEET POTATO SLIPS.**  
We have 50,000 certified Porto Rico Sweet Potato plants, treated for all kinds of field diseases. Plants will be ready to ship April 1st to July 1st. Price, \$2.50 per 1,000 in 5,000 lots \$2.00 per 1,000.

John W. Dobbs, Jr.,  
Coffee County Training School, Enterprise, Ala.

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## Cole's Bridge Items.

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# NOTICE!

BEGINNING ON NEXT MONDAY  
APRIL 14TH, THE PRICE ON DOG-  
WOOD WILL BE CUT TO 30 CENTS  
PER HUNDRED.

THIS REDUCTION IS MADE ON  
ACCOUNT OF THE PRICE REDUC-  
TION ON BLOCKS.

**W. A. Capshaw**  
ELBA, ALABAMA.

## Perdue Items

Health of this community is very good at present, except Tyson Grissett who had an operation Friday, and Joel Fortune, son of Mr. Andrew Fortune, got shot through the arm Sunday. We wish both a speedy recovery.

F. M. Smith and family and E. O. Swain and family visited their father and grandfather above Brundidge Sunday.

L. F. Smith and family visited J. H. Goodson Sunday.

Rev. Walden filled his appointment at Center Ridge Saturday and Sunday. All reported a fine meeting.

The S. S. Smith annual singing will be held at Center Ridge Church on the fourth Sunday in April. Everybody is invited to come and bring a well filled basket.

Our people are very busy planting at this time.

The people are very proud that Mr. Sam Boutwell has his grist mill in operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smith visited their father, Mr. Jim Sanders Sunday.

Mr. Hilary Swain and family of Ozark visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Swain Sunday.

Mrs. Ola Boutwell and her grandmother are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Smith.

## Farmers' Academy

Mr. Grady Seay is doing some wonderful stunts pulling on the road with his Fordson.

Mrs. W. L. Hunter left for Auburn last Wednesday, to visit her son. Before returning she will visit her mother and son at Camp Hill.

Miss Etta Baker, who is attending school at Troy, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie D. Tindol, of Dothan, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tindol.

Mr. Grady Seay carried a truck load to the party at Miss Lena Williams' Saturday night.

Mr. Selonas Stevens and Misses Ethel Martin and Cleone Stevens attended the singing at Haw Ridge Sunday.

Mr. Bill Grimsley was a visitor in our community Sunday.

Several from our community attended the party at Longstreet Saturday night.

Mr. Walker Pittman dined with Mr. Floyd Spears Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rocco Holmes of Enterprise visited our Sunday School Sunday.

The young folks of our community visited Miss Flossie Spence Sunday afternoon.

Messrs Ralph Warren, Jap Batchelor and Bernice Cargiel were visitors in our community Sunday.

Messrs Boyd Hunter, Floyd Spears and Selonas Stevens, Messrs Flossie and Ava Spears, Farrah and Neva Hunter, Ethel Martin and Cleone Stevens visited the Misses Seay Sunday night.

Several from New Tabernacle visited our Sunday School Sunday.

Maggie and Jigga.

## Spring News.

(Tennille, Rt. 3.)

Mr. Joe Baker of New Brockton spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mae Kiser.

Miss King, of Elba, spent the week-end with Miss Willie Mae White.

Miss Norma Lee Nolin spent Saturday night with Miss Irma Lee Hornsby.

The peanut shelling given by Miss Irma Lee Hornsby Saturday night was attended by a large crowd. Everybody reported a lovely time.

Mr. Roscoe Shellgrove, who attends school in Brundidge, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shellgrove.

Miss Ora Lowry, who attends Troy Normal spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lowry.

Miss Noma Tindol spent Saturday night with Misses Bonnie Mae and Hiter Lowry.

Mr. Roscoe and Mrs. Strickland, Nolinville dined with Mr. and Mrs. Pittman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Beresford Lowry were visitors at Troy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Clark visited Mrs. L. M. Hornsby Sunday afternoon.

Misses Bonnie Mae and Hiter Lowry, Noma Tindol and several others took a flying trip to Elba Sunday afternoon.

Messrs Cecil and Grady Wilks and Gordon Graves of Center Ridge were the guests of Miss Noma Tindol on the fifth Sunday.

Miss Vonnice Mae Whitaker was the guest of Miss Irma Lee Hornsby Sunday.

Miss Norma Lee Nolin dined with Miss Willie Mae White Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hornsby visited their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Nolin Saturday night.

A large crowd attended the singing at Dyess Sunday.

Miss Johnnie Grace Dobbs visited Miss Ruby Lois Arnett Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Waters visited Mrs. Madie Tindol Saturday night.

Miss Rellie Dobbs dined with Miss Irma Lee Hornsby Sunday.

Misses Vonnice and Connie Pittman went shopping to Brundidge Saturday.

Mr. Louis Dismuke has completed his nice new bungalow.

Somebody's Sweetheart.

It is said that the average well educated American knows from 60,000 to 70,000 words.

## MR. PARKER EXHIBITS A FREAK EGG.

Mr. Jack Parker who lives above town was showing an egg on the streets last Friday which was quite a curiosity. The markings on this egg seem to bear the letters BRIM. Mr. Parker says that no doubt the hen was trying to mark the egg "Bramer," as he has this stock of chickens in his yard.

## CABBAGE PLANTS.

I have plenty good, nice cabbage plants for sale at 50c per hundred. F. P. BRUNSON, 1/4 mile from Elba on Brockton highway.

FOR SALE—House and lot most desirable place to live in Elba; cheap. Unless you mean business do not investigate. See—Dr. A. J. Mills, Enterprise, Ala.

## MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed to THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS, by G. C. EAGERTON, dated August 16th, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, Book No. 2-3 of Mortgages, page 300, of which the undersigned mortgagee was on Monday, the 5th day of May, 1924, during the legal hours of sale, between 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. at the Court House door of Coffee County, in the city of Elba, sell at auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the real estate embraced in said mortgage, and described as follows:

Ten acres in Southeast corner of Southeast Quarter of Southeast Quarter, Section Twenty-one; Thirty acres on west side of Southeast Quarter of Southeast Quarter, Section Twenty-two; Northwest Quarter, Northeast Quarter of Southeast Quarter; Northwest Quarter of Northeast Quarter; West Half of West Half of Southeast Quarter, making one line, and North Half of Southeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter, Making river line, Section Twenty-seven; all in Township seven, Range Twenty-two, being about 100 acres or less.

All said lands being in Coffee County, Alabama. Said sale is made under the terms of said mortgage to pay the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage, which entire indebtedness has been duly declared due, together with all expenses of foreclosure, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

This the 2nd day of April, 1924.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS, Mortgagee.

W. R. Martin, Ozark, Alabama, and R. T. Goodwyn, Montgomery, Ala., Attorneys for Mortgagee.

## MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed to THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS, by MILLARD G. GERTON, unmarried, dated August 16th, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, in Book No. 2-3 of Mortgages, page 302, of which the undersigned mortgagee was on Monday, the 5th day of May, 1924, during the legal hours of sale between 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. at the Court House door of Coffee County, in the city of Elba, sell at auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the real estate embraced in said mortgage, and described as follows:

Northeast-half making branch line of Northwest Quarter of Northeast Quarter, East Half of Northeast Quarter, East Half of Southeast Quarter, All in Section Twenty-eight; and West Half of Southwest Quarter; Southeast Quarter of Southwest Quarter; Section Twenty-seven; and Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter, Section Thirty-three; and Northwest Quarter of Northwest Quarter and West Half of Northeast Quarter, making one line, being about 100 acres or less.

All said lands being in Coffee County, Alabama. Said sale is made under the terms of said mortgage to pay the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage, which entire indebtedness has been duly declared due, together with all expenses of foreclosure, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

This the 2nd day of April, 1924.

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## WITH ELBA CHURCHES

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Chas H. Gorman Pastor.  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. J. C. Fleming, Superintendent.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Preaching every Sunday, at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. F. M. Lowrey, Pastor.  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Chas. L. Rowe, Supt.  
Epworth League, Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock.  
Prayer Service, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

"My God, Jordan! You were born to be a star and they've made a flunk of you!" Were the words of Fanny, the actress to a superannuated preacher. "Oh, don't think for a moment that I regret my choice. I would rather have climbed the croaky steps of my little pulpit than mounted any throne, or sat in the seats of princes, or ridden on the fiery chariages of conquerors. Old men have won fame and wealth, but I have won souls. I have dealt in eternity. I have baptised children and set their feet in the path of righteousness, and I have sanctified marriages, and I have walked in the shadow of the dying, and I have prayed above the graves of the dead. I have eaten of bread that you know not of. I have brought good tidings of great joy. I have had little money and much labor, but I have had God," said the old preacher. Keep this in mind for the contribution we expect to make to these soldiers as an Easter offering.

Mr. Clarence Dannelly secretary of Sunday schools of this conference, will spend all of April 20th at Elba Methodist church in an all day institute. All the surrounding churches and schools are cordially invited to hear this gifted and enthusiastic worker. He will be asked to make a special address that night.

Mrs. Willie Davis of Liberty church is very ill at her home in Valley Grove.

We extend sympathies to the children and grandchildren of Mrs. Elizabeth Ham, who was buried at Beaver Dam church on last Monday.

Mrs. Gordon Prescott who has been sick for the past two weeks is well again. A good congregation met the preacher at Liberty last Sunday. Thank You.

We were glad to see many out at Elba last morning hour. Our streets are well lighted, and there is a constant movement by everybody's door in town, which makes it easy to come at night. Meet us at church at night.

Prof. Kersh will lecture at the teachers meeting Friday night.

We were glad to see Mrs. Lovelace, able to be with us Sunday, after so long a confinement to her home, from sickness.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study, 9:45 A. M.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday Nights of each week.  
Ladies meet every Tuesday afternoon 3:30 o'clock.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. F. A. Symonds, Supt.

You are cordially invited to attend all services.

## DR. A. J. MILLS

—Dentist—  
ENTERPRISE, ALABAMA

Mr. Jake Harper, who has been stationed at Poston, Mass. for several months, in the Navy is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harper.

Waive notes and bob-tail mortgages at Clipper office.

Recent legislation in France requires medical tests for motor drivers.

A single orange tree may produce as many as 20,000 oranges.

## STYLE—QUALITY—AND VALUE—

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VOLUME XXVII.

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NAMES OFFICERS FOR MAY PRIMARY**

At a meeting of the Coffee County Democratic Executive Committee last Saturday, the following managers, clerks and returning officers for the May 13th primary, were named:

**BEAT 1.**  
Oscar Perry, John H. Moody Sr., N. C. Maddox, managers; W. F. Baker, J. I. Pierce, clerks; A. B. Wise, R. O.

**BEAT 2.**  
Ed Campbell, Jack Clark, Buddie Taylor, managers; Ray McCarty, W. D. Foley, clerks; Johnnie Johnson, Sr., R. O.

**BEAT 3.**  
J. M. Marler, S. A. Bowers, Jeff Whitman, managers; J. W. Ham, Z. R. Hudson, clerks; W. N. Hudson, R. O.

**BEAT 4.**  
George Prescott, Jack Marler, J. L. Bryan, managers; Es-car Hudson, J. Cook, clerks; Math Cook, R. O.

**BEAT 5.**  
Sandy King, L. M. Bowden, O. Dyess, managers; E. J. Bryan, L. H. Graves, clerks; J. M. Johnson, R. O.

**BEAT 6—BOX 1.**  
W. O. Vaughn, I. A. Maddox, E. A. Talbot, managers; Jordan Lindsey, J. O. English, clerks; D. D. Knight, R. O.

**BEAT 6—BOX 2.**  
J. C. Mays, John Brown, Frank Blair, managers; Joe Jernigan, D. D. Smith, clerks; J. H. Wise, R. O.

**BEAT 7—BOX 1.**  
C. A. Marsh, Geo. McCall, C. L. Stewart, managers; Price Harrison, Joe Donaldson, clerks; John McCall, R. O.

**BEAT 7—BOX 2.**  
M. O. Forehand, W. J. Har-buck, N. J. Helms, managers; Arthur Strickland, Wilson Roberson, clerks; Sim Bowden, R. O.

**BEAT 8—BOX 1.**  
J. L. Walls, J. W. P. Wilson, I. J. Weeks, managers; M. D. Harrell, T. G. Miller, clerks; J. Z. Nichols, R. O.

**BEAT 8—BOX 2.**  
J. E. Marsh, Selman Martin, Frank Pierson, managers; J. Adams, Ben Bell, clerks; Lee Spigner, R. O.

**BEAT 9—BOX 1.**  
Dick Jeter, Chas. Arvold, E. L. Warren, managers; Ralph Gunter, J. L. Snider, clerks; John Helms, R. O.

**BEAT 9—BOX 2.**  
Joe Maddox, D. J. Stephens, Tom Brock, managers; J. D. Willis, Guy Gunter, clerks; M. W. Helms, R. O.

**BEAT 10—BOX 1.**  
Geo. Bragg, H. E. Martin, Bibb Hussey, managers; Tip Kelly, Celus Killingsworth, clerks; J. B. Maddox, R. O.

**BEAT 10—BOX 2.**  
J. R. Phillips, Luico Tillman, L. J. Wood, managers; Amos Chancey, Henry Dismuke, clerks; C. M. Whitehead, R. O.

**BEAT 11.**  
Joe Dismuke, Chas. Prestwood, N. H. Lambert, managers; Ollie Johnson, A. M. C. Tatum, clerks; G. W. Stewart, R. O.

**BEAT 12.**  
J. B. Whittaker, Vester Hildreth, Cephus Shepherd, managers; Will Livings, James White, clerks; W. E. Dubose, R. O.

**BEAT 13.**  
Hope Dunaway, Ben Dunaway, Jim Willis, managers; Harris Mixon, Ellis Peacock, clerks; J. M. Crumpler, R. O.

**BEAT 14—BOX 1.**  
P. T. Wise, G. M. Hataway, A. G. Wise, managers; Will Jackson, M. L. Chaney, clerks; J. W. Donaldson, R. O.

**BEAT 14—BOX 2.**  
Ami Rhodes, Elbert Blair, Frank Holley, managers; Le-nard Kilcrease, D. J. Davis, clerks; Godfrey Holley, R. O.

**BEAT 15.**  
Ben Miekler, Sam Boutwell, J. E. O'Neal, managers; W. J. Brown, W. C. Barr, clerks; J.

## MRS. NAN BRUNSON CELEBRATES 78TH BIRTH DAY.

One of the most joyful occasions of the season was the celebration of the seventy-eighth birthday of Mrs. Nan Brunson, at the home of her son, Mr. A. C. Brunson, on Sunday, April 13th. Eleven children were present: Messrs M. E. Brunson, of Andalusia, J. C. and R. K. Brunson, of Samson, Moss Brunson, of Florida, F. P. and Ben Brunson, of Elba, Mesdames McKinnon, of Bonifay, Fla., Rowe and Hutchison, of New Brockton, and Grant, of Elba.

There were also eighty-three grandchildren, and fifteen great-grandchildren. At five o'clock a barbecue and picnic dinner was served on the lawn. There were about one hundred and fifty guests present to make merry and wish Mrs. Brunson many more happy birthdays.

## MRS. CARNLEY HOSTESS TO MUSIC CLUB—

Mrs. J. A. Carnley was hostess to the Elba Music Study Club on Thursday afternoon. At the close of the business the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Robert Tucker as leader and the program was as follows:

Roll Call—A Woman Composer—Barcelo—Mrs. H. H. A. Beach—Mrs. Tom Tatom. Life of Composer—Mrs. H. A. Beach—Miss Lydia Williams.

Musical Reading—The Artless Maid—Beach—Miss Gus-sie Rainer.

Discussion: Are We Losing Our Home Musical Life—Led by Mrs. F. A. Symonds.

Vocal Solo—The Moon Path—Beach—Mrs. Terry Kendrick.

Mr. J. L. Mixson was a visitor at Abbeville, Sunday.

Bring up your syrup. We are giving \$1.00 in trade for Smith Brothers.

Mr. J. E. Speer and family, of Wetumpka, are visiting at Elba this week.

Mr. H. C. Johnson left Saturday for New York on a several days business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rainer, of Ozark, spent the week-end in Elba with relatives.

W. Johnson, R. O.

**BEAT 16.**  
W. L. English, T. J. Flowery, W. L. Farris, managers; Joe Windham, F. M. Cain, clerks; J. S. Windham, R. O.

**BEAT 17—BOX 1.**  
J. B. Pouncey, F. T. Price, G. M. Heath, managers; C. F. Strickland, Grady Hutchison, clerks; W. P. Whitehead, R. O.

**BEAT 17—BOX 2.**  
A. M. Owen, L. P. Hutchison, W. A. McGilvray, managers; R. T. Adams, C. J. Rowe, clerks; A. R. Mosley, R. O.

**BEAT 18.**  
C. H. Rhodes, Sam Russell, Lum Lowery, managers; Ben Medlock, W. E. Fuller, clerks; C. W. Sutherland, R. O.

**BEAT 19.**  
Mack Clark, Giles Bryan, John Bryan, managers; Claude Bailey, M. A. Helms, clerks; O. O. Cooper, R. O.

**BEAT 20.**  
W. W. Woody, W. J. Parker, F. E. Meek, managers; W. N. Farris, Thos. Moore, clerks; J. L. Meek, R. O.

**BEAT 21.**  
J. H. Nolin, L. E. Barker, L. H. Deal, managers; J. E. Nolin, Walter Fredrick, clerks; Ike Peavy, R. O.

**BEAT 22.**  
H. C. Talbot, J. H. Walker, Charlie Smart, managers; C. R. White, Snake Dean, clerks; J. L. Jernigan, R. O.

**BEAT 23.**  
Sol Wise, Andrew Wilkes, J. P. Metcalf, managers; W. J. Wise, Wiley Weatherford, clerks; Allen Wise, R. O.

# THE ELBA CLIPPER

ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, APRIL 17TH, 1924.

## THE COUNTY AGENT AND FARM BUREAU

BY R. G. ARNOLD

Last week, in addition to the co-operative orders for fertilizer handled, we carried Mr. McCully, Farm Bureau Cotton Association field man from Montgomery to several communities in Coffee County and held night meetings with the farmers, explaining the work, aims and accomplishments of twenty thousand farmers of Alabama banded together in 1921 for pooling cotton. Much interest was manifested by the farmers at Kinston, Battons, and County Line communities. We were not soliciting members on this tour but rather explaining just how co-operative marketing could be of benefit to our farmers, so that when we launch our campaign for Farm Bureau members, this will be no new thing to the people. These meetings have been held in practically every community in the entire county and we shall continue to hold them, and if anyone has been missed, drop us a card and we will come your way.

**The Egg Pool In August.**  
Mention was made in last issue of the organization of the Alabama Farm Bureau Egg Marketing Association in Montgomery a few days ago, where Mr. Pittman and myself represented this county. The idea of this giant State Egg Pool is to keep the prices from fluctuating so widely at different seasons of the year, and of course to keep the price of eggs up as much as possible. Arrangements will be made with the merchants in each community to collect these eggs, candle and grade same and ship to the Association. Each pool will be closed out every two weeks and paid for, and we believe that this new manner of marketing eggs will greatly stimulate the poultry industry in Coffee County.

**Hogs, Milch Cows, Chickens, Syrup.**  
We are not happy over the prevailing condition now in most people's minds to treat the above crops as if they were out of their minds. Sweet potatoes will be worth a dollar per bushel next year, and every farmer should have five hundred to a thousand bushels for sale. We are trying to get a few curing houses built which are expensive and will keep the potatoes sound and good throughout the year. We propose to assist farmers to market their crops, but we sure can't unless these crops are produced. Production is necessary before marketing.

**Don't Forget The Boys And Girls Club Work.**  
We want to see the best exhibit of poultry and pigs at the World Show next fall that is possible to make, so let your boy or girl have a part in these exhibits. Send us their names.

**KILLS LARGE RATTLER.**  
Mr. J. L. Willis, who lives about 7 miles north of Elba, was here yesterday and reports the killing of a large rattlesnake while fishing on a creek early Wednesday morning. Mr. Willis had the snake rattles as a souvenir. The snake was about four feet long.

Mrs. Wayne Lee, of Panama City, Fla. is the guest of relatives at Elba this week.

Mrs. W. C. Corley, of Troy, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Boyd.

Mr. Tom Hutchison spent a few hours Sunday in Dothan.

## KU KLUX KLAN WILL PUT ON BIG CEREMONIAL AT ELBA.

According to announcement made in an advertisement in another column of today's paper, the Ku Klux Klan will put on a "Naturalization Ceremonial" at Elba on next Friday night, April 25th.

According to the announcement there will be more than a hundred candidates for this ceremonial, and Klansmen are to be here from many different parts of the State, including a degree team from Montgomery.

**W. M. S. ENJOYS A SOCIAL MEETING.**  
The W. M. S. of the first Methodist Church entertained with a social at the home of Mrs. R. L. Cooper on Monday afternoon, honoring Mrs. F. A. Symonds and Mrs. Osborne Rainer. Wicker baskets of Easter